

Local Happenings in Brief.

Jack Chase is a Bisbee visitor from Naco.

E. E. McVeagh left for Globe yesterday.

Joe and Anton Muehlman have returned from a trip to California points.

Burt Mossman, of the rangers, went to Naco this morning on official business.

Mrs. Jones, president of the Rebekah Grand Lodge, is the guest of Mrs. J. N. Jones.

F. E. McLaurin, accountant for the Greene Consolidated Copper company, is a Bisbee visitor.

Frank Mauser and Ben Soed, of the Greene cattle company, are spending a few days in Bisbee.

A party of officials of the Calumet & Arizona company are expected to arrive in Bisbee in a few days and will be the guests of Superintendent Merrill while here.

George Henninger, private secretary to Lem C. Shattuck, the Bisbee lumber merchant and prosperous miner, was a welcome caller at the Prospector office this afternoon.—Prospector.

Among the Bisbeeites who left for the county seat on yesterday's train were: Walter Douglas, Ben Williams, S. W. Clawson, W. H. Brophy, D. Ford Jones, B. A. Packard, E. J. Gates, J. B. Angus, Dr. Cavin and Dr. Dillard.

Dr. A. L. Toney came in on this morning's train from the southern part of the territory, where he has been located for several years. He still retains his large landed interests near Mesa and may again become a resident of this valley.—Tempe News.

The bill of sale of the personal property at San Xavier hotel and the depot hotel at Bowie, was recorded here today. The consideration mentioned is \$12,304.15. Dr. George Goodfellow by this contract transfers all his interests in these hotels to L. J. F. Lager.—Citizen.

The real estate market is quite active. A large number of deeds, mortgages and filings for sections of lands have been made within the past few days. In one real estate agents office thirty deeds were made out in two days. Several locations have been made on lands close to Douglas.

The horses attached to the large delivery wagon of the Copper Queen ran away yesterday morning and threw the driver, Robert Spaulding, against a telegraph pole, cutting his scalp and overturning the wagon. Spaulding was taken to his home and given medical treatment and will be out in a few days.

The cowboys along the San Pedro Valley are making preparations to attend the dance to be given Christmas Eve by the Greene cattle company at Naco. The affair promises to be the dance of the season. Ben Sneed and Frank Mousen are being ably assisted by the citizens of Naco and the boys expect to have a good time.

A petition to Congress to reenact the Geary Exclusion Act is being circulated by several of Bisbee's patriotic citizens and is meeting with the approval of all classes of citizens. While Bisbee is fortunate in not having any Chinese to contend with, her residents are doing all they can to assist in keeping them out of this country.

J. S. Field of the firm of Field & Gallagher, of Phoenix, stopped here today en route to Benson. They have the contract for the new Peform school and Mr. Field goes to Benson to arrange some details regarding the stone work. Ground will be broken this month for the \$25,000 building which they will erect there for the Territory.—Citizen.

The Bisbee Improvement Company are now compiling their new telephone directory, which they will issue early in 1902. They are very anxious to have those who contemplate having telephones installed in their homes and places of business to have their orders in as early as possible so that all names and numbers of phones will appear in the new directory.

On Thanksgiving day at the residence of Mrs. Gardner, aunt of the bride, Mr. Charles T. Reynolds of Safford, Arizona, was united in marriage to Miss Florence Wellwood of Prescott, Arizona, by Harcourt W. Peck, pastor of the Methodist church. Mr. Reynolds is one of the energetic, successful merchants of the southwest. His business is in Safford, Arizona. Miss Wellwood has but recently made her home in Prescott, coming here from Bisbee, Arizona, where she was known as an earnest christian lady.—Journal-Miner.

Messrs. Redmond Toohay and Stephen A. Dorsey, of New York, arrived in Phoenix yesterday morning and are stopping at the Adams. Both are well known all over the territory, they having large mining interests here. Mr. Toohay is here to make the transfer of four mining claims in the Hargreaves district to Mr. Dorsey, which promises to be of great value. He is already interested in the Napoleon Gold Mining company, which it is expected will soon have a twenty-stamp mill. Both gentlemen will remain in Phoenix for some time.—Phoenix Gazette.

A special meeting of United Rebekah Lodge, No. 8, will be held Friday, Dec. 6, at 8 p. m., to meet the president of the assembly. A full attendance is requested. L. A. DAVIES, N. J. ESTEL STOW, Sec'y.

Found Dead in Bed.

When Mrs. Mary Hughes went in to make up the bed in the room occupied by George Morris about noon yesterday she noticed that he had not left the room as was customary for him to do, he being on a night shift. On looking closer Mrs. Hughes saw that a dead man occupied the bed. Mrs. Hughes quickly called in the neighbors and word was sent to Justice S. K. Williams who arrived shortly after the telephone call. Judge Williams impounded a jury and began an investigation as to the probable cause of Morris' death. The body was found partly dressed, features slightly distorted and knees drawn up. From appearances of the skin it looked very much like poison of some kind had been taken. A thorough search by the jury failed to find any bottle marked poison. A small bottle with label "Five Drops" was sitting on a table near the bed and one paper rolled in the shape as to hold powders of some kind was near the bottle. A memorandum book with a lot of credit slips showing that the deceased had bought considerable merchandise and clothing from the Copper Queen store during the months of November and December. A pocket knife a Spanish coin and a five-cent piece was all found in the pockets of the dead man.

George Morris was well known in Bisbee, having worked in the capacity of a miner in the employ of the Copper Queen for several months. Of late he had been drinking heavily but none of his friends thought he had any notion of committing suicide. Ed Howell in speaking of Morris said "I knew George Morris well. The last time I saw him was late yesterday evening and he was in an up town saloon drinking and seemed to be then under the influence of liquor. I tried to get him to go to bed so that he would get some sleep and wake up in time to go to work as he went on at 11 o'clock. He promised me he would and I left him. That is the last I saw of him alive until this evening when I went up to view the body."

The coroner's jury have reserved their verdict and it will not be given out until some time today. The body has been taken to the undertaking parlors of B. F. Graham & Co., where the funeral will take place this evening.

A List of Jurors.

Following is the return by the sheriff of the grand and petit jurors, and were called this afternoon:

GRAND JURY.
A. Barnaby Steve Miller
Ben Frankenberg M. J. Cunningham
F. J. Michaels E. B. Mason
G. H. Vandewalker E. G. Ord
Ben Henry Parks Whitney
B. Maier John Critchley
Chas. Blackburn W. C. Read
Harry Clifford George Farrington
H. M. Gee Ben Cook
Chas. Douglas Alex Smith
Wm. Cowan

Following is the venire for the trial jury which convenes on the 9th inst.

PETIT JURY.
W. Allison Edgar Fletcher
Geo. Clawson C. C. Finlayson
W. Greenell Lewis Hunt
T. J. Lyon August Hickey
Ed Dunbar James Letson
William Jones W. E. Bailey
W. D. Kinsey Jesse Jackson
Gus Gottschalk Geo. Barnard
A. L. Armstrong Robert Brooks
H. Ash E. C. Doll
E. C. Adams Clinton Keller
J. L. Amaloug John Jolly
J. A. Lamb Chas. H. Holz
J. W. Blair G. C. Ballinger
J. J. Bowen Dan Hoesch

A Disagreement Over Mutton.

George Vandewalker, who owns a large band of sheep which he ranges in the Dos Cabanas district, recently sold 500 head of sheep to Torres & Mossman of this place. The latter claimed a reduction in price per head of the sheep because of those delivered having been found to be of materially less weight than expected from previous deliveries made by Mr. Vandewalker. To this reduction Mr. Vandewalker would not consent, nor would he consent to settle the matter by arbitration. Yesterday Messrs. Torres & Mossman were surprised by having served on them by Deputy Sheriff McDonald legal notice that Vandewalker had brought suit against them in the District court for \$1,000, and had garnished by attachment their bank account here. Previous to this they had believed the matter would be settled amicably.

Remarriage Denounced at Episcopalian Club Dinner.

The Episcopalian club, composed of the clergy and laity of the Long Island diocese, held its annual dinner last night at the club's headquarters, 3 Clinton street, Brooklyn. Bishop-elect Burgess was present. It was announced that the club will establish an Episcopal office in Brooklyn for Bishop Burgess, to be used as an auxiliary of the main office at Garden City. Speeches were made by the Rev. Richard Duffield Pope, rector of St. Paul's church, Brooklyn, and the Rev. Dr. Elliott Langstaff. Mr. Pope denounced divorce and remarriage, saying that the United States had no right to point the finger of scorn at polygamy when several states had laws sanctioning divorce and remarriage. Dr. Langstaff took a more liberal view of the question. He said that in many instances the happiest marriages he knew of were remarriages.—New York Sun

The Big Jacket and Cloak Sale



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43 in. Ox Gray Automobile, silk faced lapel, worth \$20.00. Special sale price.	\$17.50	27 inch Tan Colored Jacket, regularly sold at \$8.50. Special sale price.	\$7.25
22 in. Black Electric Seal Jacket, fur trimmed collar, worth \$35.00. Special	\$30.00	27 inch Tan Colored Jacket, silk lined, good value at \$9.50. Special sale price.	\$8.10
27 in. Jacket, wide collar, neatly tailored worth \$4.00. Special sale price.	\$3.40	27 in. Black colored Jacket, silk lined, silk faced, worth \$16.50. Special price.	\$14.10



THE FAIR,

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Notice Elks.

A regular meeting of Bisbee Lodge, No. 661, B. P. O. Elks will be held at the Opera House hall Friday evening, December 6, 8:30 p. m. Business of importance. All Elks invited.

C. F. NICHOLS, E. R. W. B. KELLY, Secretary.

Oldest Newspaper in the World.

It was supposed until quite recently that Kin-Pan, a Chinese journal published in Peking for the last 1000 years, was the oldest newspaper in the world. In a very able work recently published however, Imbault Huard, the French consul at Canton, shows that his honor belongs to the Tsing Pao, or Peking News, which has been published continuously since the year 710, and is said to have been founded some 200 years before that date, or early in the sixth century—800 years before a newspaper was known in Europe.—Golden Penny.

Geological Survey of Arizona

The United States Geological Survey is busy in Arizona. The survey of one district, the Bradshaw, has been completed, and two other districts are being gone over—the Globe and the Clifton. The Globe district work is being done by Dr. F. L. Ransom and J. B. Irving of Harvard University. A preliminary reconnaissance of this district was made in the summer, and the work is now being carried out in detail. Geologists U. Lindgren and J. M. Routwell are covering the Clifton-Morenci district, and for the present have their headquarters in Morenci.—Oil, Copper and Finance.

El Paso Notes

The Southern Pacific no longer has a guard stationed on its bridge over the river next to the old brick yard property. The guard has been withdrawn and everything out in that neighborhood is quiet. The suit to settle the dispute of the Southern Pacific and the Bisbee over the contested right of way is to be tried December 9. In the meantime the Southern Pacific is laying its tracks in accordance with the original plans and the Bisbee is refraining from trespassing upon the disputed territory until the courts have taken definite action.—El Paso News.

The Franconian Wreck.

A dispatch to the Los Angeles Herald states the coroner's jury laid the blame for the Franconian wreck on Conductor Higgins and Engineer Williams of the westbound train. They had orders to run two hours late, passed Franconia six minutes ahead of time, the collision occurring two minutes afterward. The east bound train was running on time and had ample time to reach Franconia, if the west bound train had waited the six minutes. Conductor Higgins paid the penalty of his oversight with his life, while Engineer Williams was seriously injured. Higgins was a brother-in-law of division superintendent John Denair and was considered a very careful man, while Engineer Williams had the reputation of being among the best and most careful engineers on the road.

Sharkey At It Again.

New York, Dec. 5.—Tom Sharkey has posted \$2,500 with a challenge to Jeffries to fight for the championship. Sharkey also posted the same amount on behalf of Dave Sullivan for a fight with Young Corbett.

Ritchie, British secretary of State for Home Affairs, talks in an aggravated tone about the Boers, who will not "frankly acknowledge their defeat and ask for terms." Englishmen boast that they do not know when they are beaten—but what is virtue in Wellington is a vice in the Boers.—Tempe News.

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